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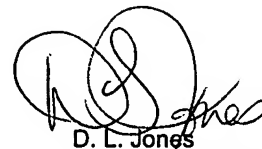
1. ☒ The amendment filed on 18 October 2006 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

- a) ☐ entered.
- b) ☐ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.
- c) ☐ disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.

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- d) ☒ disapproved. See explanation below.
- e) ☐ entered in part. See explanation below.

*The amendment to claim 29 (see end of claim) discloses that the therapy of diagnostic imaging of the subject occurs. However, the beginning of the claim reads 'A method of imaging'. Thus, it is not clear how therapy is being performed in a method that is directed to imaging a subject. Did Applicant intend to rewrite the claims as 'A method of therapy or diagnostic imaging of a patient comprising administering a non-optical contrast agent composition comprising the composition as in claims 4, 7, or 8 and performing therapy or imaging the patient.*

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